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Serial No.:	10/050,413	Filing Date:	January 16, 2002		
Group Art Unit:	1771	Examiner:	Norca Torres Velazquez		
Applicant(s):	Charles Pearce et al.				
Invention:	Hydroentangled Filter Media An	d Method			

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>July 23, 2004</u> in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

For Response Within:	First Month		Second Month		Third Month		Fourth Month	
Large Entity:		\$120.00	⊠	\$450.00		\$1,020.00		\$1,590.00
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- \triangle A check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-0785. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 23, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page two (2) of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page four (4) of this paper.